

Island Home Park

**A streetcar suburb developed after the Gay Street Bridge opened in 1898
Built on Perez Dickinson late 1800's "Island Home" demonstration farm
The Island Home Park Company developed Island Home Park**





The Island Home Community Club



"Every resident of the new suburb contributed \$3.00 for membership in The Island Home Community Club. The Island Home Park Co. matched the club's money dollar for dollar to buy more trees and shrubs for the park."

Knoxville News Sentinel, September 11, 1947

**The Island Home Community Club
was active for decades when
important issues affected the
neighborhood.**

Crimes in Island Home Park

Boat dock at the entry

Business development on Dickinson Island

World's Fair Party Boat at entry

Removal of pillars for traffic circle

The Island Home Park Neighborhood Association



Island Home Park Neighborhood Association



Bylaws govern the association

Board of Governors manage the association

Representatives from districts in neighborhood (7)

Officers (5)

At-large representatives (3)

Residents in all 198 homes are members of IHPNA

Active continuously for thirty years

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Community building and social activities



Relationships beyond Island Home Park

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the world outside our geographic area

Office of Neighborhoods and South Knoxville Neighborhood and Business Coalition

We want to stay connected with city government and other neighborhoods

Tennessee School for the Deaf

The main gates are in our neighborhood



TSD multi-year demolition and construction project continues

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Vulcan Materials across the river

The quarry blasts often and affects homes



Downtown Island Airport on Dickinson Island

*The land entry to the airport is through IHP streets
A 132 hangar construction project is underway
Trees trimmed and removed public & private property*

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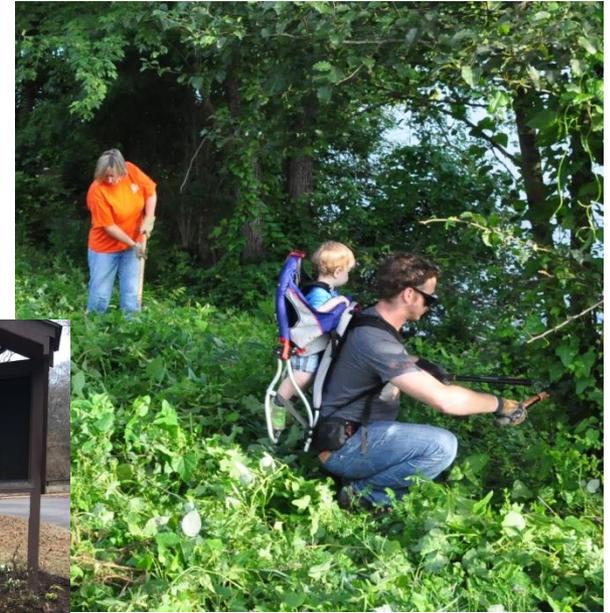
*We support activities that our residents request
for their families.*

*We all want to make
Island Home Park a better place to live.*

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Beautification project

2016 Neighborhood Grant for Entry Project



Entry beautification project has volunteer opportunities

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IHPNA social events throughout the year



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Island Home Dogwood Trail



Knoxville Marathon mile 22 support



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Little Free Libraries engage neighbors of all ages

Neighbor to Neighbor support of residents who need a little help

Good rapport with City departments

Neighborhood Watch

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Five Board of Governors meetings

Two potluck supper and general meetings

Friday night Porch Hops

Progressive Holiday Party for Grownups

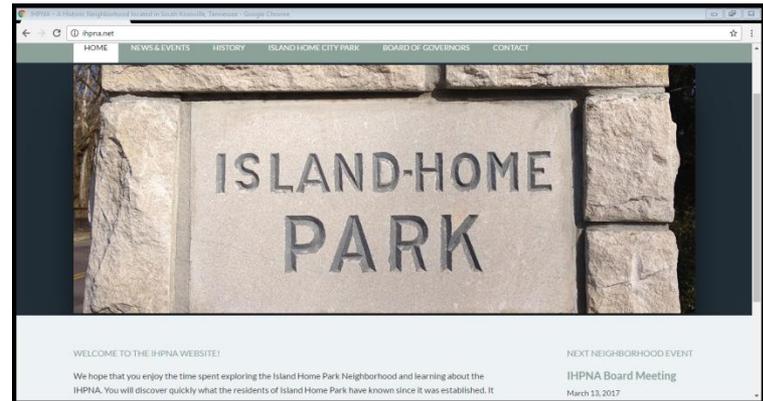
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Communication

Ihpna email allows neighbors to communicate quickly



Newsletter



Website



Entry Kiosks

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Membership Campaign

We have a yearly membership campaign

- Modest dues provide operating funds
- Contributions support special projects or events
 - Resident and contact information gathered
- Strengthens organization through support of residents

How do we do it?

We provide a form and addressed envelope in the February newsletter.

Representatives make door-to-door contact in late February.
Gift certificate drawing from homes paying dues by early March.

Dues paying homes get the **2016-2017 Island Home Park Directory**

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